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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Application of: Mikko HEINONEN et al. #12 Pre Amendment(A)
Serial No.: Not yet known D. TOWNSEND
Filed: Simultaneously 05/12/03
For: **METHOD FOR CHANGING LINEAR LOAD ON A REEL-UP**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 12, 2001

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as set forth below.